

What is claimed is:

1. A base station apparatus that performs wireless communications with a mobile terminal apparatus, while relaying the connection between said mobile terminal apparatus and the internet, comprising:

a wireless section that communicates radio signals with said mobile terminal apparatus; and

a protocol relay section that performs proxy processing on a network layer or a transport layer of OSI layer model.

2. The base station apparatus according to claim 1, further comprising:

a propagation state measuring section that measures a radio signal propagation state in the wireless communications with said mobile terminal apparatus; and

a transport layer parameter determining section that determines a transmit control parameter value of a transport layer protocol based on the measurement in said propagation state measuring section.

3. A mobile terminal apparatus that performs wireless communications with a base station apparatus, while relaying the connection between said base station apparatus and the internet, comprising:

a wireless section that communicates radio signals with said base station apparatus; and

a protocol relay section that performs proxy processing on a network layer or a transport layer of

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OSI layer model.

4. The mobile terminal apparatus according to claim 3, further comprising:

a propagation state measuring section that measures
5 a radio signal propagation state in the wireless
communications with said base station apparatus; and

a transport layer parameter determining section
that determines a transmit control parameter value of
a transport layer protocol based on the measurement in
10 said propagation state measuring section.

5. A wireless access system including one or more mobile terminal apparatuses that perform wireless communications with one or more base station apparatuses, wherein each of said base station apparatuses has a wireless section that communicates radio signals with at least one of said mobile terminal apparatuses, and a protocol relay section that performs proxy processing on a network layer or a transport layer of OSI layer model, while each of said mobile terminal apparatuses has a first protocol processing section that processes a network layer protocol or transport layer protocol in OSI layer model.

6. A wireless access system including one or more mobile terminal apparatuses that perform wireless communications with one or more base station apparatuses, wherein each of said mobile terminal apparatuses has a wireless section that communicates radio signals with

one of said base station apparatuses, and a protocol relay section that performs proxy processing on a network layer or a transport layer of OSI layer model, while each of said base station apparatuses has a second protocol
 5 processing section that processes a network layer protocol or transport layer protocol in OSI layer model.

7. The base station apparatus according to claim 1, further comprising:

a protocol processing section that processes a
 10 network layer protocol or transport layer protocol in OSI layer model; and

a processing selecting section that selects either said protocol relay section or said protocol processing section corresponding to a type of said mobile terminal
 15 apparatus to instruct the processing for said mobile terminal apparatus.

8. A wireless access system, including:

a base station apparatus comprising:

a wireless section that communicates radio
 20 signals with mobile terminal apparatuses;

a first protocol relay section that performs proxy processing on a network layer of OSI layer model;

a second protocol relay section that performs proxy processing on a transport layer of OSI layer model;

25 and

a processing selecting section that selects either said first protocol relay section or said second

protocol relay section corresponding to a type of said mobile terminal apparatus to instruct the processing for said mobile terminal apparatus,

a first mobile terminal apparatus comprising:

5 a wireless section that communicates radio
signals with said base station apparatus; and

a third protocol relay section that performs proxy processing on a network layer or a transport layer of OSI layer model, and

10 a second mobile terminal comprising:

a protocol processing section that processes a network layer protocol or a transport layer protocol of OSI layer model.

9. A base station apparatus comprising:

15 a receiving section that determines whether or not
to relay on a data link layer to a cable network a received
packet of radio signal including information to identify
whether or not to instruct a relay on the data link layer;
and

20 a transmitting section that transmits the packet
to the cable network according to the determined result.

10. The base station apparatus according to claim 9,
wherein said receiving section has:

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        a header extracting section that extracts a header
25  from the packet received on the data link layer;

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a header interpreting section that interprets the header to determine whether or not the header includes

an instruction for relaying the packet on the data link layer; and

an output switching section that outputs the received packet to said transmitting section on the data link layer when the determined result is indicative of the instruction for relaying the packet on the data link layer.

11. The base station apparatus according to claim 10, further comprising:

10 a relay section that performs packet relay processing on a layer above the data link layer, wherein said output switching section outputs the packet to said relay section when the determined result in said header interpreting section is not indicative of an instruction for relaying the packet on the data link layer.

12. The base station apparatus according to claim 10, further comprising:

a transport layer processing section that performs processing on the transport layer, wherein said header interpreting section determines a type of data of payload of the received packet from the header, and when the determined result is indicative of data of the transport layer, said output switching section outputs the packet to said transport layer processing section.

13. The base station apparatus according to claim 10, wherein said header interpreting section determines

25 17. The communication terminal apparatus according to
claim 15, wherein said header generating section adds
to the header a priority of packet transfer in said base

18. The communication terminal apparatus according to claim 15, further comprising:

10 19. A communication method, comprising:

adding to a header an instruction for relaying a
t on the data link layer, and transmitting a radio
1 of the packet with the header added thereto; and

receiving the radio signal to extract the packet, interpreting the header of the extracted packet, and when the header has the instruction for relaying the packet on the data link layer, composing a protocol service data unit from the packet, and relaying the composed protocol service unit on the data link layer to transmit to a cable network layer.